

Unanticipated College Costs

Helping Students and Parents Prepare for their Future

College Expenses	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Summer Semester	Range Estimators*
Meal Plan (off campus)				\$2,000+
Groceries/Fast Food				\$2,000+
Books and Supplies				\$500-1,000
Parking Permit				\$75-100
Transportation Costs				Varies
Compact Refrigerator				\$75-100
Special Bedding				\$100-250
Room Accessories				\$200-400
Laptop/Computer				\$600-1,000
Television				\$200-800
Surge Protectors				\$20-40
Personal Storage				\$50-100
Seasonal Clothing				\$100-200
Laundry Expenses				\$80-150
Bathroom Supplies				\$20-50
Cleaning Supplies				\$40-70
Toiletries				\$25-100
Prescriptions				Varies
Club Fees				\$10-1,000
Cell Phone				Varies
Loan Fees (1% Origination)				Varies on loan
Insurances				Varies for coverages
Study Abroad				Varies (\$1,000-2,000)
Ryan Air				\$500-1,000
Spring Trip				\$1,000+
Graduation Rituals				\$250-500
Roommate/Sickness Issue				Varies
Frat/Sorority Costs				\$250-2,000
Loan Interest				Varies
TOTAL				

*prices reflect per semester or one time expenses; all prices may vary from student to student and school to school